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TENSION IN THE ENTENTE.

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No Indication Yet of Britain's Attitude.

(Reuter's Service.)

London, July 2. While there is no indication hitherto of the nature of the French reply to the British questionnaire, it is authoritatively stated in the result of a train explosion. The penalties imposed mean that London that it is entirely premature to speak of separate action on occupied Germany is completely severed from the use cupied part, the part of Britain towards Germany. It is emphasised that the and thousands of workmen in the occupied territory the unable to Cabinet is unable to reach any decision as to its attitude before learn- reach their work across the border. ing the French viewpoint. It is impossible yet to say what action The Belgian troops are described as most excited, and further Britain might take if it be found impossible to reconcile the British acts of sabotage are likely to entail serious consequences. and French viewpoints.

Inopportune Comment.

Interpreting opinion in French official circles, a Paris message says annoyance has been caused by the inopportuneness of certain British Press statements, when calmness is essential on both sides, and declares that where M. Poincare desires to reply to the British questionaire fully he maintains preference for oral methods. Politicians refuse to believe that negotiations will break down on a point, of procedure.

THE WIMBLEDON TOURNAMENT.

Norton to Meet Johnston in Semi-Final.

London, July 2.

The weather at Wimbledon was glorious. Sx were left in the men's singles. Johnston defeating Campbell, 61, 57, 62, 6-2; Norton defeating Woosnam, 7-5, 6-3, 6-4. This brings Johnston and Norton in opposition in the semi-final. The other sem - finalists will ! be the winners of the sixth-round ties, De Gomar versus Hunter and Major Evans versus, Gordon Lowe. De Gomar beat Greig in the fifth round, 4 6, 6 0, 6 1, 6 4.

Damebell made a heroic fight, but Johnston's terrific pace tired him. He has the consolation of being the first Britisher to capture a set from the American during championships.

Molle, Lenglen beat Mrs. Hazel, 6-2, 6 t. Mrs. Beamish beat Mrs. Mallory 4-6, 7:5, 6, 4 . Miss McKane beat Miss Goss 6-2, 6 2. Miss Ryan heat Miss Rose, 6 0, 6 0. Hiese meet in the semi-final in the order mentioned.

Mrs. Mallory was nervous, whilst Mrs. Bramish deserved to

win. She played with calm deliberation. Hunter and Richard beat the Indians, Hadi and Rutnam, 6 4,9.7 6-4; and Helmore and Higgs, 6 1,6-4, 6-4; in the second and third rounds, respectively. La Coste and Borotra beat Fisher and Craw-

ford 14-12, 6.4, 6-2. Mrs. Mallory and Miss Bancroft were successful in the second round of the ladies doubles

AUTOMOBILE GRAND PRIX.

Sunbeam Cars Do Well.

Tours, July 2. The automobile Grand Prix over a course of 799 kilometres. over the Tours circuit, resulted in Seagrave, in a Sunbeam, doing the distance in thirty-five minutes, ten and four fifth seconds.

Dive, in a Sunbeam, was second; and Frederich, driving a

Bugatti, third. Led Guinness, in a Sunbeam, was fourth. Seventeen started. De Viscaya, driving a Bugatti, mistook the turning after the first lap and dashed into the balustrade and smashed his machine. Some of the spectators were injured, and De Vicaya was slightly hurt.

TAXATION OF FOREIGN SHIPS.

Reciprocal Relief Proposed by Britain.

London July 2,

The House of Commons has unanimously passed a new clause in the Finance Act moved by Sir W. Joynson Hicks, exempting the profits of foreign shipping businesses from the British income tax provided reciprocal exemptions be granted by the country concerned. He pointed out that the United States had made a similar offer in 1921, and said he hoped the scheme would be the forerunner of a wider scheme to relieve all trades from double taxation the worl

GERMANY'S FINANCIAL CHAOS.

900,000 Marks to the Pound Sterling.

London, July 3.

The appalling state of affairs in Germany as regards currency is indicated in the latest Reichsbank return, showing over two billion marks increase in the note circulation last week alone. The present total is thirteen billions, and compares with one billion on January 1st. This enormous increase is attributed to the Government's policy of financing passive resistance in the Ruhr.

Marks closed in London to-day at 900,000 to the pound sterling.

"OBSERVER'S" RESIGNATION. **AMERICAN**

Paris, July 2. According to the newspapers, Mr. Boyden, American observer on the Reparations Commission, has resigned purely for personal reasons.

Paris. July 2. American observer on the Reparations Commission.

CHEAPER MOTOR-CAR TYRES.

London, June 2. A "price war" is foreshadowed as a result of an announcement by British motor-tyre manufacturers that they have decided to take immediate action as a counter move to a French company which has reduced tyre prices.

GLAMORGAN AGAIN HEAVILY DEFEATED:

London, July 2. At Swansea, Glamorgan was beaten by Notts by an innings and when he was retired.] 108, For Notte, Payton compiled 109 and George Gunn 118, whilst Matthews took 5 for 66 and 3 for 19.

MORE SABOTAGE BY GERMANS.

Serious Results Might Follow.

(Reuterie Servine.)

Berlin, July 2. According to the Tageblatt, eighteen Belgians are now dead as

The Pope is Concerned.

Rome. July 2. As a result of the Duisburg disaster, the Pope has instructed the Papal Nuncio at Berlin to make representations to the German Government with the object of ending passive resistance.

Sporadic Outbursts Reported. Paris, July 2. A message from Coblence states that time-fuse bombs have been found at the entrance to a tunnel near Mayence. Once exploded, causing slight damage. The fuse was removed from the

Reprisals against the Germans which were decided on were the stoppage of all traffic after nine in the town and suburbs of Mayence, the closing of the public establishments, and the expulsion of five prominent citizens. The arrest of three suspects has been

Sporadic outbursts are reported from French sources at other places in the Ruhr, and include firing at French posts, with the shooting of a German who disregarded a sentry's summons to halt.

INTERNATIONAL NAVIGATION CONGRESS.

London, July 2. Twenty-six foreign Governments, including Russia and Holland. also the Irish Free State, India, South Africa, Canada, New Zealand. the League nations on the Danubs and Rhine Commissions and the Sucz Canal Company," were represented at the International Navigation Congress opened in London this morning by H.R H. the Duke of York.

WASHINGTON AND LIVERPOOL

Washington, July 2. The Liverpool association has accepted the agreement regarding standards, but is despatching two delegates to endoavour to arrange certain changes.

"HARTINGTON" FIRE UNDER CONTROL.

Sydney, July 2. The fire on the Hartington has been controlled and the destroyer Anzac is standing by.

EARLIER TELEGRAMS.

CHINA'S CHAOS.

London, July 2. The Times, remarking on the steadily worsening condition of China, says that anarchy is becoming a settled habit. The paper presents a dismal picture of the "shadowy Government's shadowy authority," desperate financial position, and the lawless state of the country, which exist side by side with the people's industry and enthusiasm for education in modern ideas. It says progress and anarchy, corruption and general aspiration are fantastically mingled. With a view to restoring the respect for the power of Foreign Governments, which recent outrages in which foreigners were affected indicate is vanishing, the Powers are urged to agree to a progressive working policy for China, which will be more than an agreement to

The Times warns against separate action, which will only make the situation far worse than now, and suggests as a precautionary measure an increased number of gunboats on the Yangtse, and keeping the garrison at Tientsin at full strength. It says the Powers might deliberate profitably on means whereby the self-denying ordinances imposed at Washington may be made effective for the assertion of joint authority and rights. One simple measure urged for the restoration of authority is the replacement of incompetent. police on the Chinese railways by a native force organized and disciplined by foreign inspectors, representing the pationality chiefly rested in the particular railway concerned.

THE SINGAPORE NAVAL BASE,

In a letter to the Daily Mail, Mr. Darbishire, M.P., opposes the wal base at Singapore on the ground of economy. He opines as the result of his experience in public works in Singapore that the estimate of cost of £10,500,000 will be very largely exceeded before the works are completed. If the policy of the Admiralty is persisted in, he says, we shall find strong naval bases springing up all round the area defined by the self-denying ordinance signed in Washington. Already we hear of proposed American developments in Pearl Harbour, Honolulu and a Dutch naval base in Java or Sumatra. He asks if Japan is a new menace against which we must be prepared to concentrate our Mr. Logan, hitherto assistant delegate, succeeds Mr. Boyden as main fleet. If so this is the old war, spirit aflame again. If the United States does not find it humiliating to depend upon the goodwill of Japan, why should we. The alternative to this costly militarist course of action is the development of the spirit of the Washington Treaty by an agreement to abstain from building new bases.

OBITUARY.

Salvation Army.

London, July 2. The death has occurred of Commissioner T. H. Howard, of th

[Commissioner Howard was the Army's Chief of Staff. He was 74 years old. He was Commissioner for Australasia in 1884, and or his return home was Principal of the International Training College in Clapton, then Foreign Secretary and Chief of Staff up to 1919,

(Continued from Pages 2 and 3). In adjournment was arented Herekong Inly 2nd 1923.

FROM SUNKEN LINER. PASSENGERS



The above picture has a special interest for Hongkong people. It shows passengers from the Canadian Pacific liner Marvale, which sank off Newfoundland on May 21st, as they arrived a St. John's. Mr. John Rodger and Miss Jessie Rodger, of Hongkong, were amonget the number.

20 OFFICERS SHOT.

A Canton Incident.

that over twenty military officers of Messrs. Whiteaway, Laidlaw to forward their donations to of the River Defence Force were and Co., Ltd, held in London, headquarters in London. arrested on the night of June the Chairman (Mr. Monce Wil- To individual readers, we would 28th. and shot early the next kinson) stated that the amount again point out that \$5 will not be morning for having indulged in for freehold and leasehold pre- missed by them, but will do much blackmail and having established mises in the Fast is £654,918, an good on behalf of the sick and opium dens.

olved and it is stated that orders | cent., making 7.1/2 per cent. per for further arrests have been annum, free of tax, on the ordinary made.

JAPANESE JAILED.

Sentence of two months' im- in China would have been adverse prisonment, which the magistrate to their business, but, on the remarked was lenient, was in contrary, they had done more flicted this morning on Shuzo | than their normal trade and had Tukozo, 22, a Japanese employed! made their normal profits in that as a shroff at the Kwongman- part of the world. He expressed ltong Printery at Stanley Street | thanks to the staff for their loyal on conviction of a charge of service and said they faced the embezzlement of the sum of \$328 / new year with increased from the shop. confidence.

The statement of the proseucting police officer showed that defendant withheld from time to time balances of certain sums which he had collected on behalf of the firm. When discovery was imminent, be disappeared, but for some reason reappeared at the shop and was arrested. A sum of \$35 80 was found on him when arrested, but the complainant made no claim in Court for the return of this money.

BANQUE INDUSTRIELLE.

Another Adjourment Granted.

Messrs, Dascon, Harston and certain section of it) likes to blame arrival of the s.s. Hakate Shenton) made application, before the policemen for not tracking Maru"—Page 4. Mr. Justice Comperts, this morn- down more criminals, but are they ing, for a further adjournment of really to blame when so much of colour paintings is being held at petition for winding up the their time is taken up in studying the Tosa Art Studio .- Page 4. Banque Industrielle de Chine, departmental orders, doing traffin The application was supported by work and having to go to Police the title of the current attraction. an affidavit by M. Seitert. Courts to do the prosecuting? No. at the World Theatre. Pages 4

Counsel said no winding up sir; the police are only human, and 12 order had been made in London after all. More Police Courtaire or elsewhere, so far as was known, also, as you say, badly needed. and the scheme by which Far Let us have some more articles a Eastern creditors were to be met. like those you published last which was referred to in the last week. Many Government dedeclaration six months ago, was partments here want shaking up. now out, and a copy in French I have one or two in mind and a translation in English were myself, but no doubt the Telegraph before his Lordsbip. Mr. Justice will carry on the good work Astbury in London had directed What Land many others hope is your business -Advertise. a slanding over of the petition that these articles will be taken for the purpose of creditors having note of by His Excellency the an opportunity of considering the Governor, who has shown himself !. scheme. Counsel applied for a a man of action during the time further adjournment until Jan, he has been with us. 3rd., 1924 at 10.15, with liberty for anybody to apply.

The Official Receiver (Mr. H. A. Nishet) raised no objection.

WHITEAWAY'S.

A Successful Year.

advance of £43,000. The profits suffering. The Force has since been dis- remitted of a dividend of 5 peri shares, the payment of £1,000 to the employees' provident fund and the carrying forward of £19,568 The accounts showed a substantial improvement on those of the previous year. Referring to the various uranches, the Chairman said it would On Embezzlement Charge, have been reasonable to suppose that the very disturbed conditions

CORRESPONDENCE.

(To the Editor of the "Hongkong. T-legraph.")

Police Reform.

Sir.-The six articles which you published last week on the subject of police reform in Hongkong proved intensely interesting to myself and many others with whom I have discussed the question. All that you had to say appeared to me to be very much to the point.

There is so much 'red tape' about Government departments Hongkong that it good to see a paper the Telegraph coming and exposing it in the Police Mr. F.C Jenkin (instructed by Force, The public, I know (or a

Enclosing my card, Yours etc. OLD RESIDENT

FLOODS ON NORTH RIVER.

Many Lives Reported Lost.

News from Canton to-day is to the effect that there have been serious floods on the North River. in the Ching Yuen district, with

heavy loss of life. The report states that the river in this locality overflowed, two dykes between Ching Yuen and Ying Tak being broken down, the breaches extending over 3,000

feet in length. . Many villages were submerged, and it is believed that nearly a thousand lives were lost.

HOSPITAL FUND.

To Close on Saturday.

We have decided to close the Telegraph Fund on behalf of the London Hospital on Saturday

So far there has been quite a good response to our appeals, over \$400 and £10 having reached this office, but we feel that Hongkong can still do better than this. We therefore again urge that those who have not assisted this most deserving institution should sendin their donations without delay.

From one firm we have received a welcome gift of \$150, and if there are other concerns thinking A report from Canton states At the fifteenth annual meeting of subscribing, we shall be happy

RUSSIAN REFUGEES.

Not Wanted in Manila.

Manila, July 2. There is no room or opportunity here for the 700 Russlam refugees who are reported to be at Shanghai on board the El Dorado and refused permission to laud there," said Governor-General Wood, "and they will not be allow-

ed to land should they come here." "We have done our bit for humanity's sake when we sheltered and protected other Russians a few months back." It is understood that Governor-

General Wood has advised the American Consul-General at Shanghal to discourage the refugees from coming here, stating that the same assistance that was given to Admiral Stark will not be extended to any others - Courtesur. "Daily Bulletin."

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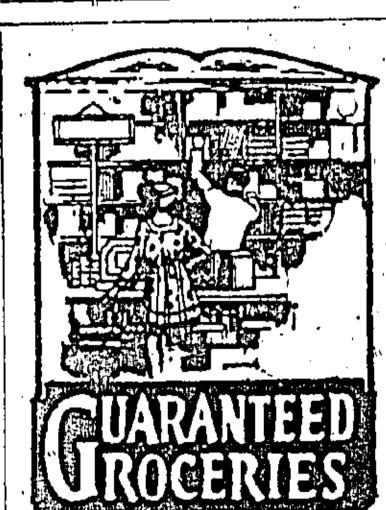
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JAPAN AND RUSSIA.

Price of Saghalien.

Tokyo, July 1.—Regarding the purchase price of Northern Sag-halien, the Japanese have suggested Yen 150,000,000, whereas the Russians have asked for 1,000,000, CCC gold roubles.

This difference has temporarily side-tracked the question of purchase, and the respective representatives are now exploring the possibility of concessions.

one concession covering the whole area affected similar to that of the Port Arthur lease is not acceptable to the Russians, who are now considering the proposal of smaller concessions to be administered either by a Russo-Japanese stock company or by a Japanese company, in which Russian capital participates.

In spite of the tenseness and the difference of facts, a spirit of friendly "endeavour to find a basis of agreement prevails in the discussions, according to a Russian spokesman.—Daily Bulletin.

PEKING POLITICS.

Separatist Movement.

Peking, July 1.—The separatist movement in Parliament appears to be strengthening. It is now reported that Chu Fu-cheng and a group of members of Parliament departed from Tientsin on Thursday for Shanghai, where they propose to establish quarters in the Hupei. Guild for assembly and registration of members of Parliament. The members of Parliament who are still at Tientsin have issued a manifesto calling on their colleagues to join them.—Renter.

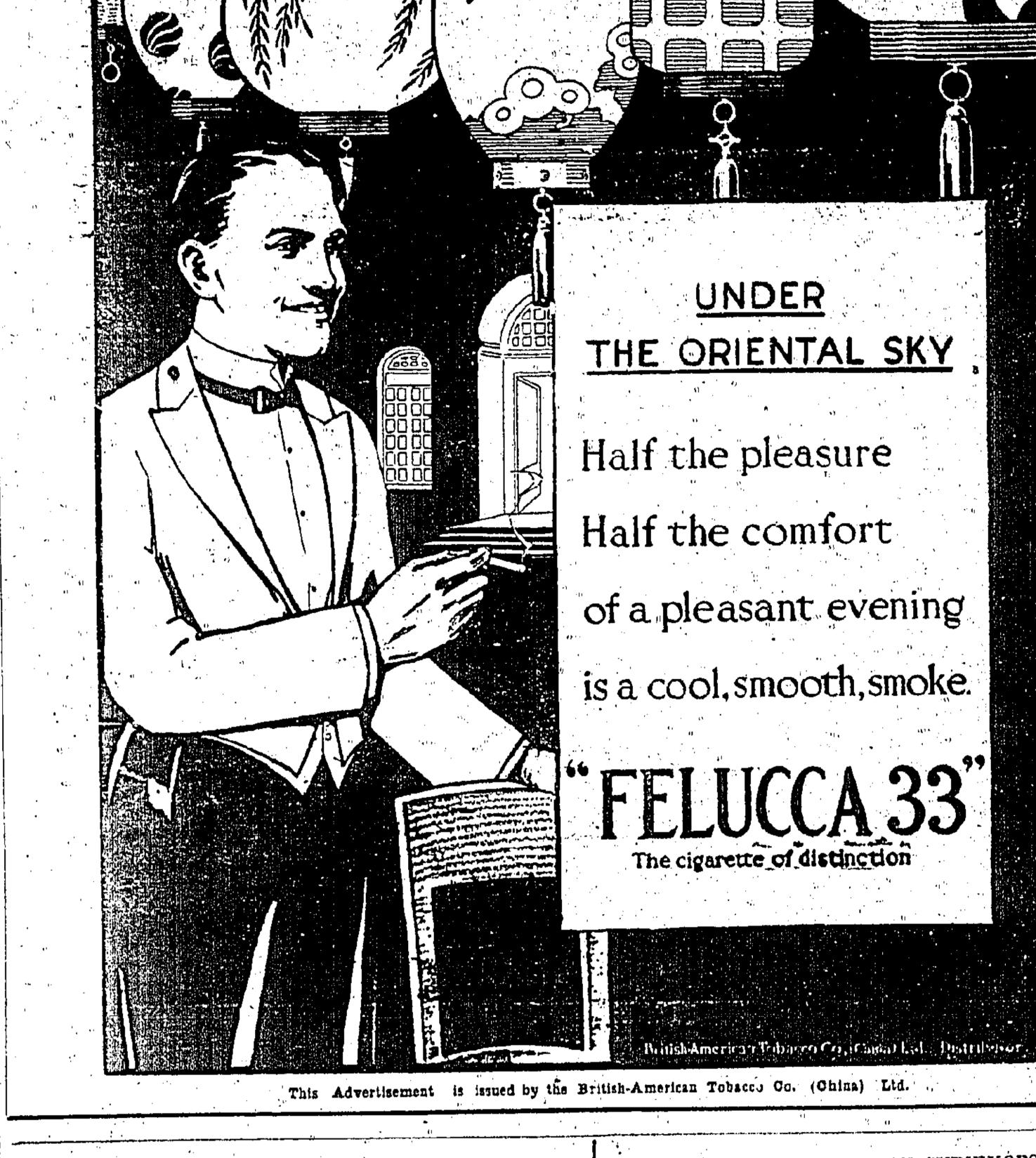
GENERAL NEWS.

Heligoland is said to be slowly crumbling away and sinking into the North Sea. Besides heavy seas and rains the explosions in volved in the destruction of the German fortifications by order of the Allies, often shake the island like an earthquake, causing great rents in the earth. Heligoland is just over a mile long and has a circumference of about two and a half miles.

Robert Jenkins, better known as "Bobbie," the cabman who founded in 1879, the Amalgamated Cab Drivers' Society—the first union to cater for the London cabmen—died recently. He had also been an active member of the Transport and General Workers' Union. In recognition of his many years' service he was not long ago given a testimonial benefit.

More than a million gallons of water are required to fill the tank of the biggest aquarium in the world which is to be completed this month in London. The tanks will contain water fruma and fish from all parts of the world. Natural sea water brought from the North sea up the Thames in barges will be used.

APPLE CURRANT TREF.
A curious horticultural freak may be observed in a garden at Templeton (Pembrokeshire), where an apple tree has a black currant bush growing out of the trunk. One of the branches of the apple tree was broken, and apparently a current seed found its way into the socket. Both tree and bush are flourishing.



EARLIER TELEGRAMS.

THE PROMISED LAND.

Sixteen steamships, carrying over eighty thousand immigrants, anchored outside the harbour and awaited the stroke of midnight on Saturday, 30th June, when they dashed into harbour to land their immigrants before the July quota was exhausted. Three official watchers timed the race to prevent dispute as to which was first to reach quarantine.

Cramped conditions at Ellis Island, where only sixteen hundred beds are available, are expected to add to the misery of the immigrants, many of whom will undoubtedly be deported, owing to the excessive numbers seeking admission. The July quotas of at least seven countries will be exhausted on the first day of the month.

There is equal keenness on land as by sea on the part of New York immigrants to enter the United States before the July quota is exhausted. Thousands lined the Canadian border and rushed across as the first day of the new month broke and disorganised the official arrangements. Ships from Asia and Africa brought more immigrants than the quota allows.

SHIP AFIRE.

The British vessel Hartington, from Nauru to Adelaide, has wirelessed from off the Queensland coast that she is afire and the flames are getting beyond control. The destroyer Anzac is rushing to the rescue.

Later.

The Hartington's bunkers are afire.

THE TREVESSA'S SURVIVORS. Rodriguez, July 2.

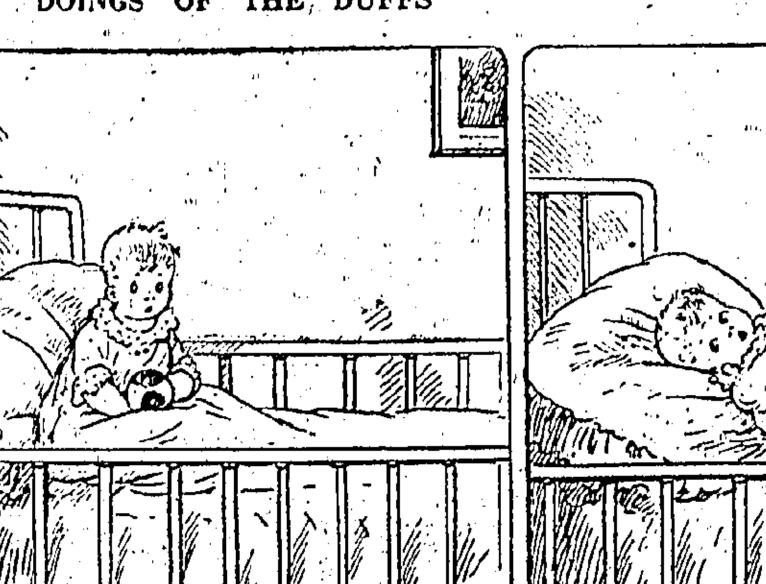
But for a keen lookout, and the prompt measures taken abourdthe Government supply ship Secunder, which calls here five times a year from Mauritius, Mr. Foster and his companions from the Trevessa would no longer have been able to master the situation, but must have been dashed to destruction on wicked reefs. As it was the rescue was only effected in the nick of time as the Secunder's arrival was delayed owing to the presence of plague in Mauritius, otherwise she would have departed on her return journey before the Trevessa's boat hove in sight. The Secunder was on the point of starting when, at night fall, out of a cloud laden sky and a boisterous sea, a policeman, T. Gretry, who was on Auty aboard, espied a craft making straight for the reefs only a hundred yards away. The constable's hailing shout evoked the reply: "shipwrecked; twenty-three days at sea." Constable Gretry with a fellow constable and three fishermen jumped into a boat and once alongside told the Trevessa's boat to "down sail" so as to avert danger ahead. The rescuing boat hastened to Mr. Foster's aid and asked for two volunteers to help to tow the boat back. It was found that the volunteers were too weak, so one fisherman thereupon climbed into the Trevessa's boat and with an amazing display of sheer strength directed her toward the jetty. All the survivors departed on the warship Colombo bound for Mauritius, practically recovered. A thanksgiving service was held before they embarked.

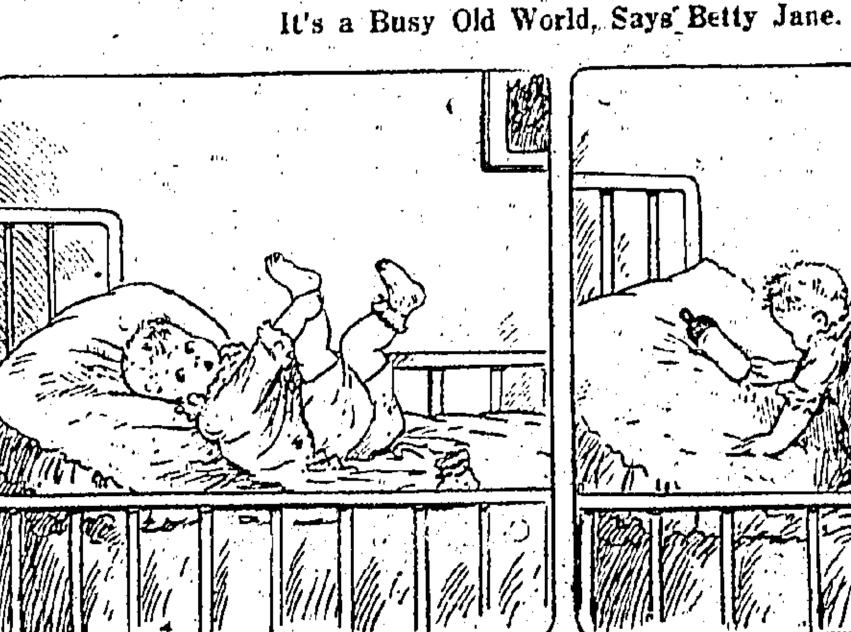
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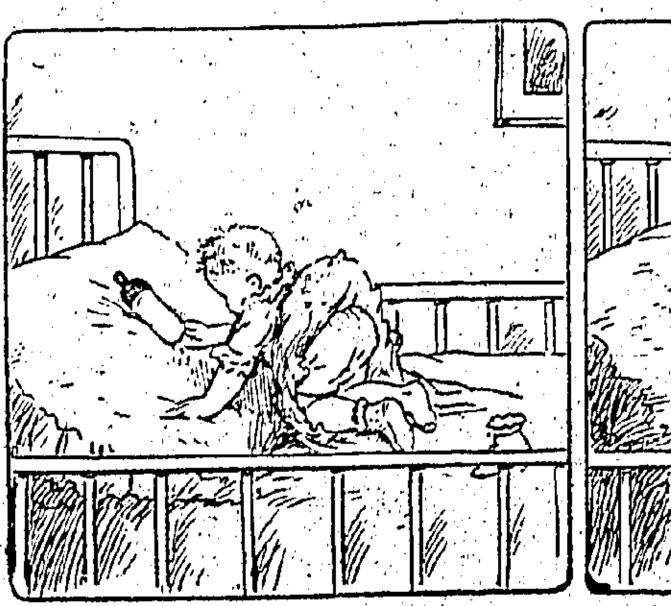
The Supreme Council of the New Church has dismissed Archbishop Antonine, who was the Patriarch Tikhon's chief opponent.

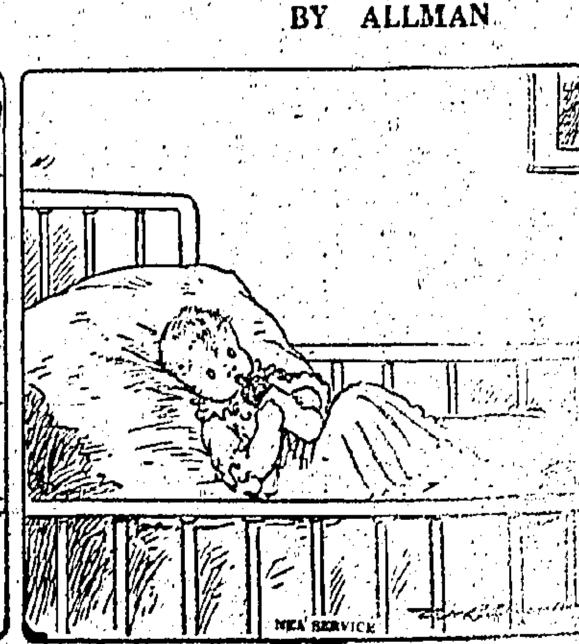
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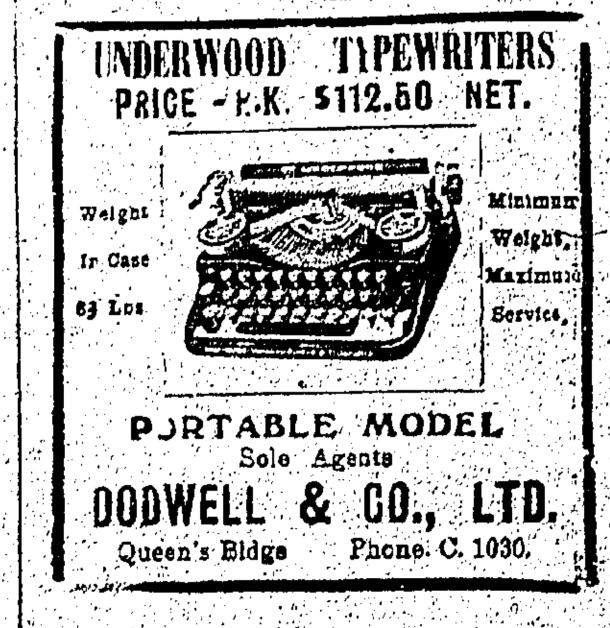
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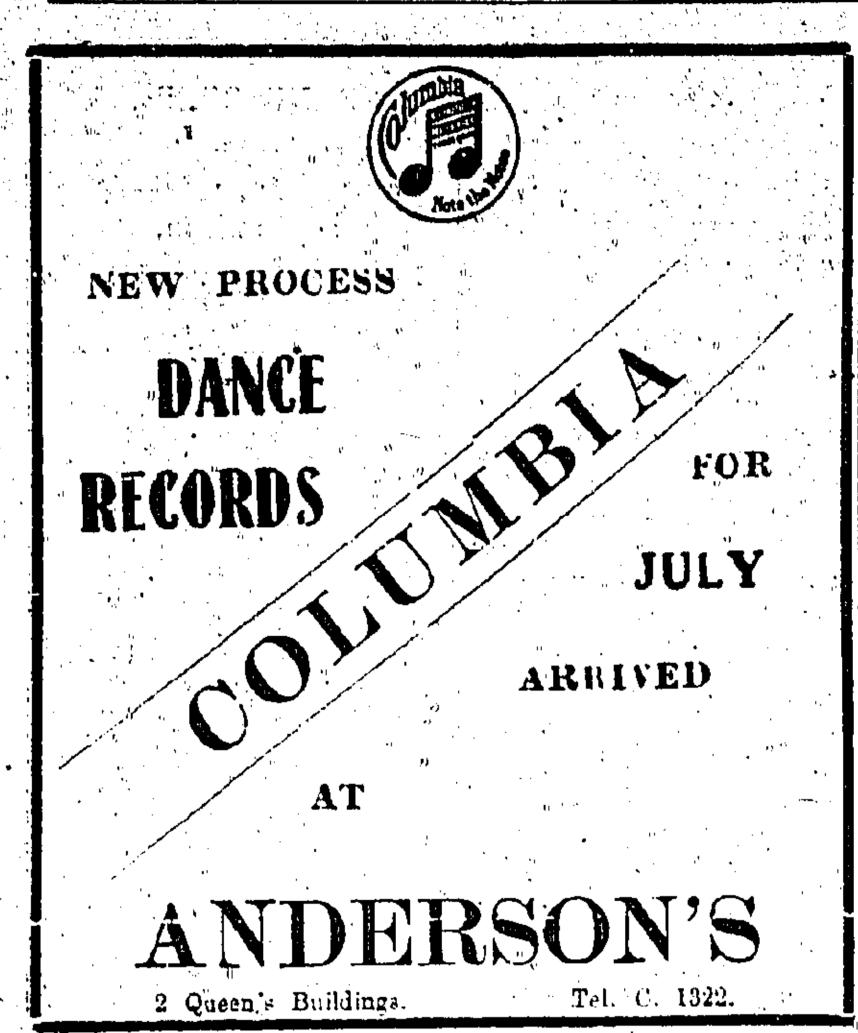


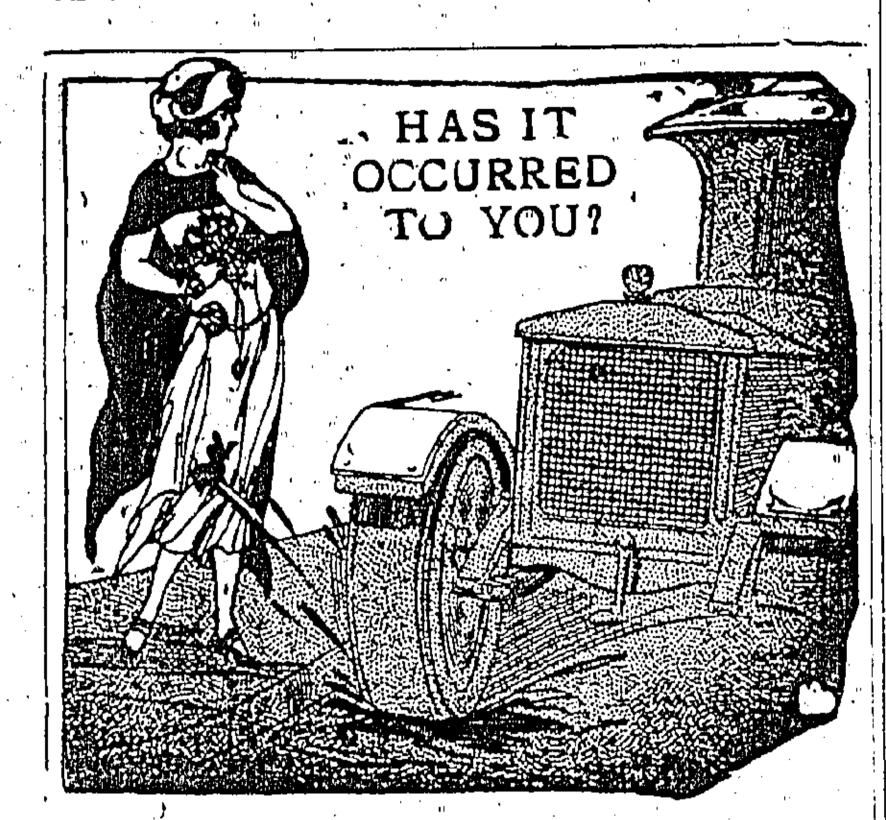












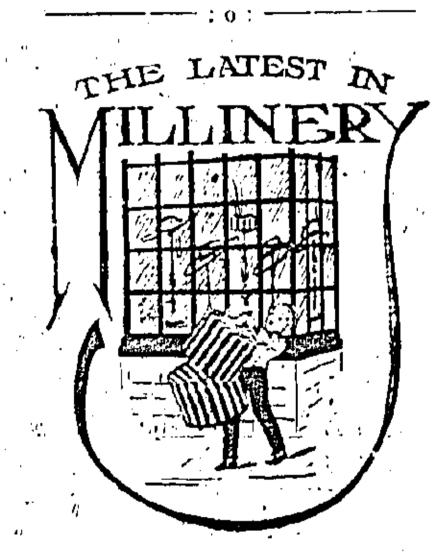
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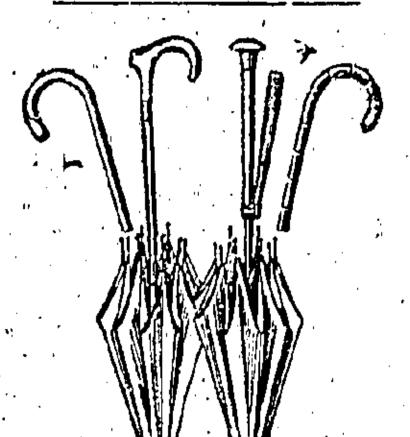
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CHINA'S DEBTS.

A report issued by the China Consortium states, that the meeting of the Council recently held in Paris, attended by representatives of the British, French, American and Japanese groups, decided to instruct the Group representatives to examine, in consultation with the Ministers of their respective Governments, the existing floating debt of China, including all loans unsecured or of which the securitysseems likely to prove inadequate in the near future, with a view to

formulating a comprehensive scheme of debt consolidation. The Consortium refer to the criticism of their objects, and refute the popular supposition that they will endeavour to harvest undue profits, reaped from loans forced upon China under the protection of their Governments. They declare that, on the contrary it has been by consistently refraining from lending that their principal success has been achieved in encouraging the utilisation of native savings before recourse to foreign capital, and in arresting profligate expendi-

ture, which was heading the country straight for bankruptcy. The Consortium claim to have ended the financial penetration of China, and that they are the faief barrier between China, and the policy of "interest." They declare that China to-day presents by far the largest undeveloped field for commercial expansion, and they believe no desirable results will follow the removal of the restraint exercised by the Consortium's co-operative action. Emphasis is laid on the point that the Consortium's settled policy is to refrain from interference with China's internal politics. Their role is limited to the endeavour to assist the Chinese authorities, if requested, in re-establishing economic and financial equilibrium.

The report denies that a project of a loan secured on the Land Tax has been or is under consideration.

The Consortium report that the present upheaval in China precludes immediate hope of giving practical effect to the proposals for an administrative loan, but that conditions change so rapidly that groups must always be prepared for action when China shall re-attain such a degree of peace and security as to afford a reasonable prospect for stable government. However, an industrial loan, including railway loans, falls in a different category, and provided adequate security is obtainable, there seems no reason why the further development of railway

communication in China should await the solution of the administrative problem. The report further emphasises the fact that the reorganisation of China's finances must come from China herself, although some measure of supervision will be necessary, but a minimum of control will be required to provide adequate security without which it will be impossible to issue a foreign loan, as the Consortium's policy is to assist the building up of the general credit of China, in such a way as to secure the foundations so that all outside intervention may gradually be eliminated and entire control of the loan service and expenditure will gradually pass into the hands of China

A BROWBEATING ULTIMATUM! Paris, July 2.

The Observer's article cabled yesterday has "caused a sensation. especially as it is the impression that it reflects the British official attitude. The Temps demands a prompt disavowal from the British Government and describes the article as an ultimatum comparable with the German attempts at browbeating at the time of the Tangier, Agadir and Serajevo crises.

Most of the newspapers comment on the Observer's statement in the same tone as Temps. Le Journal, however, reassuringly de clares that there is no reason to suppose that it represents the feeling of Mr. Baldwin. On the contrary the latter's policy has been directed very clearly towards the resumption of contact with France in regard to the German affair.

PUSSYFOOT IN ENGLAND.

London, July 2. Pussyfeet Johnson has arrived at Plymouth. He does not contemplate propaganda in England but sails for South Africa on 26th July, and thence proceeds to Egypt, Palestine and India.

THE HAPPY ROOM.

What Creates the Atmosphere?

Why is it that one room gives a happy "homey" feeling, while another is generally avoided by the household?

"Aspect, of course, has much to 'do with this, a sunny south or south-west room, however tiny, being worth three facing north or north east in our grey climate, where every ray of daylight i pracious; but it is not wholly this.

In many homes I know of-a certain room that is boy cotted by the bousehold, though there is nothing in particular to show why this should be. I may contain books, piano, and comfortable seats, and yet be lacking in some subtle, undefined quality.

Only a born home-maker knows how to give the necessary touches that transform a house into a home; and this secret is by no means a question of spending money. To make a coom "happy" there should be nothing aggressive about the walls and furniture, it should breathe an air of I restfulness and quiet cheerful.

It must be a room people will not tire of, and the tastes of those who are going to use it should be l studied.

THE SECRET.

Perhaps this is where the secret lies. Too much thought is given to the impression the room will make on visitors, and not to the effect it will have on your own family.

The "happy" room may hold something to appeal to each member of the family. It should have comfortable seats, and a springy sofa upon which a tired worker may rest.

There should be softly-shaded lights at convenient angles, that can be moved to throw extra light on a delicate piece of work or small print

An open grate, where a wood fire can be it on chilly summer nights, low seats to gather round it; window seats, too, add to comfort, especially in the country.

A nice toned piano, kept in tune, and a gramophone, if the family like it. Then there should be books and papers to suit everyone, and a place for them to be put tidily away.

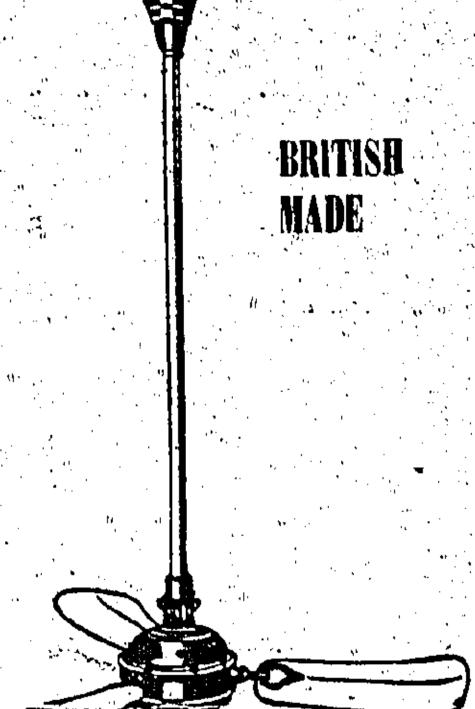
Finally there will be no flowerpots nor ornaments easily overturned, the decorations will be simple; a bowl of bulbs, a vase of flowers boldly arranged, and above. all, the room will not be overcrowded, but suggestive of light and space,-"L. S." in the Daily Chronicle.

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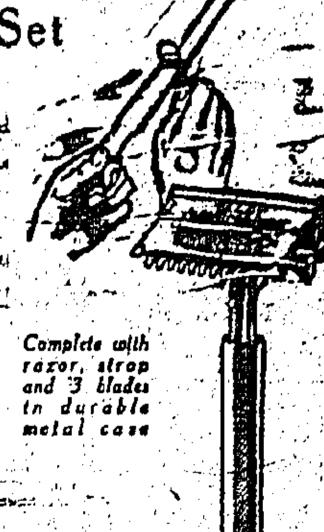
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A LL FRIENDS of the American community are cordially invited to a The' Dansant at the Hongkong Hotel Grill on July 4th, between the hours of. 4.00 p.m. and 0.30 p.m.

NOTICE.

A N Official reception will be held at the American Consulate General on Wednesday, July 4th., from 1200 p.m. to 100; p.m. in cel-bration of the National Holiday of the United States.

THE HONGKONG JOCKEY CLUB.

will be hald (weather permitt- risk into the hazardous and/or] oing) at Happy Valley on Satur- exta hazardous godowns of the day July 7th commencing 3 30 Hongkon and Kowloon Wharf & p.m. The charge for admission Godown Co., Ltd., whence and/or to the Public Emclosure will be from the wharves delivery may \$1.-Soldiers and "Sailors in be obtained. unifrom half price.

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introducing 2 non-numbers to must be presented to the Underthe members enclosure, tickets signed on or before the 24th. for whom can be obtained from inst. or they will not be re-Messrs: Linstead & Davis at \$5 each up to Friday July 6.h The Stewards invite the ladies of Hongkong to be present.

THE BANK OF CANTON LTD

MOTICE is hereby given that. IN an Extraordinary General Meeting of the above Company will be held at the Offices of the Company No. 6 Queen's Road Central Victoria in the Colony of Hongkong on Saturday the 7 h day of July 1923 at 2 p.m. for the purpose of considering and if i thought fit passing the following Resolution as an Extraordinary Resolution, namely:

That the Articles of Association be altered as follows: (a) By substituting the word "twenty" in Articles 129 the words "two hundred"

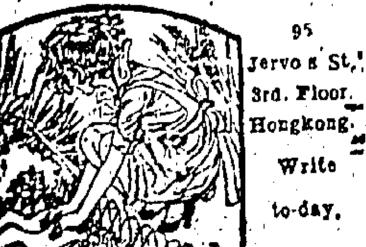
(b) By deleting Article 157 (c) By adding immediately; after the words "Chief Manager" in line 6 of Article 175 the word "or Assistant Manager.

AND NOTICE IS HEREBY ALSO GIVEN that a further Extraordinary General Meeting of the Company will be held at the same time and place on Mona day the 23rd, day of July 1923 for the purpose of confirming the above Resolution as a Special Resolution.

Dated this 13th, day of June,

By Order of the Board LCOK POONG SHAN. Chief Manager.





NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

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(NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA

From EUROPE & STRAITS. The Company's Steamship "BAKANE MARU"

having arrived from the above hereby informed that their goods are being landed and placed at their risk in the Hongkong and CPACIOUS Offices on Ground Kowloon Wharf and Godown

located. Ready for immediate in the Godowns for examination occupation. Apply to Box No. by the Consignees and the Co.'s 954 c/o " Hongkong Telegraph. " respresentatives on any Tuesday and Friday, at 2.30 p.m. within the free storage period.

All claims must be presented within ten days of the steamer's arrival here, after which date they

cannot be recognized. No claim will be admitted after the goods have left the Godowns.

No fire insurance has been l effected. NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA.

Hongkong, 3rd. July, 1923.

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ONSIGNEES of cargo are hereby informed that all AN Extra Gymkhana Meeting goods are being landed at their

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Each member has the right of All claims against the steamer

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AN INTERIM DIVIDEND of Six Dollars per share for the six months ending 30th. June 11923, will be payable on TUES-DAY, July 24th., on which date set of Mint Machinery, capable Douglas, at 10 a m. on Wednesday Company's Office.

The Transfer Books of the Company will be CLOSED from MONDAY the 9th. to MONDAY . (Further particulars and in-ON and after the 1st. July 1923 23rd. July (both days inclusive), the Registered Office of the during which period no transfer of shares can be registered. "By Order of the Board

> Directors . I. S. GREENHILL, Acting Secretary.

Hongkong, 25th, June 1923.

GENERAL AUCTIONEERS

AND

BROKERS.

The Undersigned have received

on WEDNESDAY,

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Hongkong, 3rd. July, 1923.

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PUBLIC AUCTION.

HE Undersigned, have received instructions to sell by Public Auction on Wednes, the 11th. July, 1923 instructions to sell by Public

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San Miguel Beer, American Roll-top Desk. (Full Particulars from Catalogue). Beer, Bass Ale & Stout etc., etc. Terms:--Cash on delivery. On view from Monday, the 9th. July, 1923.

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PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned have received instructions to sell by Public Auction on

Thurs., the 12th, July 1923. commencing at 3"p.m. at the o'd premises of the Hongkong Electric Co., Wing Fung St., Wanchai.

Two (2) 550 B. H. P. Diesel Generators Complete with alternators & exciters, Three (3) 300 B. H. P. Diesel Generators Complete with alternators & exciters,

Iwo "(2) 250 K. W Steam alternators complete with exciters and switchboards. One (1) Babcock & Wilcox water tube boiler complete with fittings and chain grate

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GRAND OPERA.

"Rigoletto" Staged at Kowloon.

It was unfortunate that the opening night of the Italian Grand Opera Company's season at the Star Theatre should have been wo climatically unfavourable, but, in spite of typhoon conditions, quite a good house assembled to enjoy Verdi's famous work." Rigoletto." The fact that quite a number of Hongkong folk crossed over to the mainland, thus running the risk of being stranded for the night, was, in itself, an elequent No. 8, Des Voeux Road, Corner of tribute to the reputation of this talented Company. Valuable Teakwood and Blackwood

The whole production was well up to the standard when the Company were last here and the leading characters were Dining Suites, Chesterfield Sofas, taken by the same artists. As Arm-chairs (new), Tea Tables, Rigoletto, Scamuzzi was as ex-Tenkwood Twin Bedsteads, large cellent as ever and met with a and "small Wardrobes. Dressing very warm welcome. B Cappelli. Tables and Chairs, Washstands, Mauceri and Miss Delza were all in good voice, and received a great ovation after the popular

quartette in the fourth act. The rest of the Company well maintained the reputation they have gained here, while the specially augmented orchestra. under the able guidance of Mr. C. A. V. Castagnino, greatly

improved the concerted effect. To-night "Traviata" will be One American Ice Chest (large), presented and "those intending to One Piano by Joseph Wallis & Son, be present should note that the Bitters (Angestura, Orange, One Piono by Robinson Piano Co, performance commences promptly One Iron Bath and One American at 9 p.m.

TO-DAY'S MISCELLANY.

The ships of the Merchant Service that carry, to and fro across the seas a hundred and fifty million tons of food every year, their history from the earliest time down to the last launching of the mammoth liner—that is the romantic story that Mr. E. Keble Chatterton tells in "The Mercantile Marine" (Heinemann) We confess we had not realised until we read this able writer's. well knit history how much our Empire owes to the Mercantile Marine and the hardy adventurers that man it, says a Home paper. It is tree to say that the old "wooden ships were run by men of iron." Both efficers and men were building up high traditions in seamanship, courage, hardihood, and supreme efficiency that is our inheritance to-day, and to read of the file ability of the old East Indiaman navigator is to realise the spirit that made this the world's leading country

traders.

Mr. H rry de Windt, the wellknown traveller, a brother of the elder Ragee of Sarawak, who has covered over a million miles of the world's surface, tells an amusing story in his entertaining book of recollections, " My Note Book at Home and Abroad" (Chapman and Hall). An Englishman travelling through the State of Georgia entered a cottage and asked the own ar, a middle-aged "coloured for a glass "[will send my water. daughter to the well for it replied the woman, and, the former being out of doors, she was loudly summoned by the name of "Onyx. "What a profty name," remarked the traveller; "I have heard of girls being christened after other precious stones, but have never yet metione called Onyx." I don't know nothing about no precious Yokohama, Dairen & Shanghai. stone," drawled the negress: "my old man had been in gaol for fourteen months when dis chile was born, and that is why I called her 'O.yx': short for 'onyxhaving arrived from the above ports. Consignees of Cargo

The practice of rearresting men goods are being landed and placed at the gaol gates on the charge that had remained on file, was adversely criticised by the Court of Criminal Appear recently, The sentence of five years' penal servitude passed on one Walter Goods not cleared by the 10th. Rose at Middlesex Sessions for larceny was then reduced to three years' penal servitude. It was explained that Rose objected to amination by the Consignees' the fact that an offence commitrepresentative and the Company's ted in 1921 was still on the file, Surveyors, Messrs. Goddard and and would be levelled at him when he came out of prison. That had happened to him before. The be presented within Ten days Lord Chief Justice said the practice of rearresting men as they left gaol and charging them with recognized. No claim will be arother old offence was abandonadmitted after the goods have ed, and with it should be abandoned the consequences. The police should elect to proceed speedily with a charge or drop it. It was not right that an old charge, lik > send in their Bills of Lading for a sword of Damocles, should for ever be hanging over a man's head. The Court would order that no old indictment should le levelled at Rose when he came

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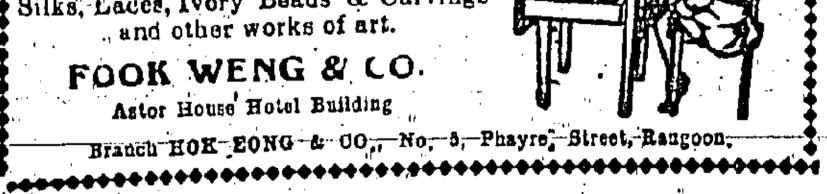
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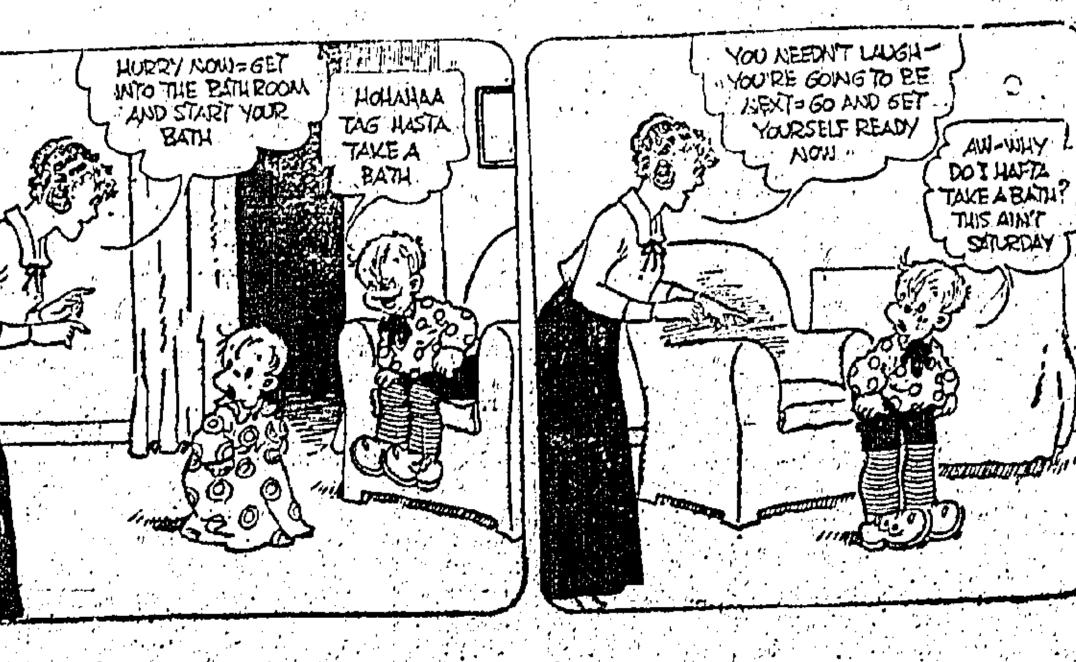
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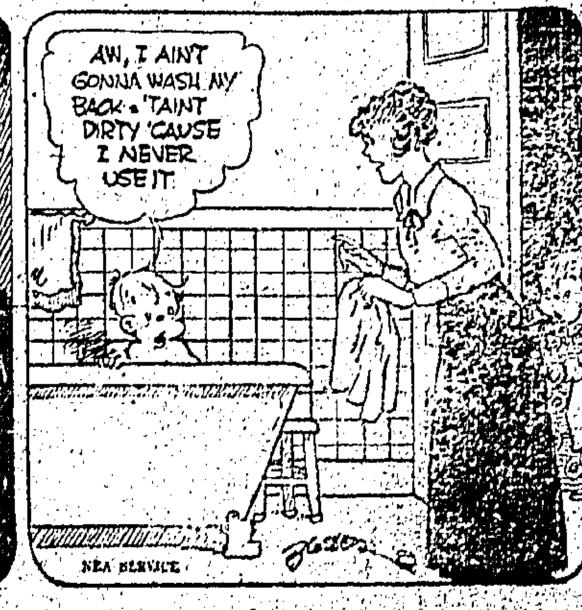
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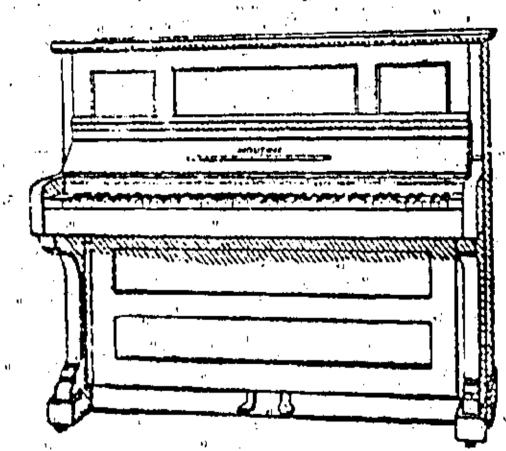
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HONGKONG, 3rd July, 1923.

THE SUN MANIFESTO.

Dr. Sun Yat-sen has issued another Manifesto to the Powers, We have read it carefully through. We cannot say that we are unduly impressed by it, Its object is to induce the Powers to withdraw recognition from the Peking Government until such time as an administration is established "which can fairly claim to be representative of the country and command the respect and support of the provinces." If we read the present situation aright, that time is still very far distant, although we have no doubt that, once recognition were withdrawn, Dr. Sun and his followers would come forward and claim such a distinction for the "Government' now attempting to function Canton. The latest Manifesto may, indeed, be regarded as the first step towards that end. We cannot forget that Dr. Sun still regards himself as the only rightful President of China, although at the moment, for reasons best known to himself, he prefers to be known by the self-created title of "Generalissimo." With no Government recognised by the Powers, therefore, can there be any doubt that Dr. Sun and his henchmen would press for an acknowledgment of their legal status? The motive underlying the present Manifesto is obvious.

of his affections. Yet here in much store. this document we find Dr. Sun laying much of the blame for That Singapore Base! China's present troubles at the door of the Powers. He asserts that the Powers have given Pe king "moral prestige and find developments in the struggle for ancial support," have intervened in China's internal affairs by raging over the proposed naval and stable Government." Such opponent of the scheme on the an indictment, which is wholly score of its probable excessive to help the cause which Dr. Sun aggression and cause of rival espouses. To conform to his request would be regarded by himunder foreign control. If these cost of the scheme will be very!" Be prepared."

were not handed back to the Central Government, the Powers would be false to their pledge. That apparently, would not worry Dr. Sun, who is seemingly more concerned with causing the col- MacWhirter. lapse of the Peking Government by withholding what is its due of the case. It is equally abourd yesterday for the North. for Dr. Sun to accuse the Powers of practically imposing on the Neither have the people repudiated the Peking Government—they have had no opportunity of doing so. The present Government certain elements in China, but ber, inclusive. they must put up with it until it has been changed by constitutional methods.

of the militarists might be ap-

plied with equal force to his own actions. He asserts that the idea of a "Disbandment Conference does not appeal to the militarists, because it would deprive them of is due to leave Malta in September and there partock of refresh- great success. Mr. Bailey the tools on which they depend with the 2nd Br. Royal Sussex for a realisation of their ambitions. Then he accuses them sending expeditions and subsidising traitors to make war on the Southern provinces. The people, too, he tells us, have suffered ly up to date, has just been islong and heavily under burden of militarism, which has brought civil war in its train. officers and addresses, the little Has not Dr. Sun depended militarists to help him realise his tion of a general character and ambitions? Is he not doing so at the present moment? Did he cents. not himself endeavour to carry out an expedition against the North?: And did he not subsidise Yunnanese and Kwangsi Generals to oust Cantonese forces from their native province? It he not to-day in the grip of the militarists? How else can explain the continuance of public gambling and the commandeering of labour for military pur-His manifesto seems to us a most pointed instance of the pot call- on suspicion. ing the kettle black. Dr. Sun rants loudly against militaristsbut only against those militarists largely exceeded. While Mr As for his disbandment scheme, probe much of the departmental Company, he asked her to accept Lavatory accommodation is on a it may look all right on paper. work of the Government there, but what guarantee would there and his views on whatever failings be that these former troops, once converted into labour battalions, Council debates. He has lost would not speedily be armed if none of his independence of an emergency arose? Bribery is opinion, and still retains his assistance, maybe. If Dr. Sun precedent to justify it. and his associates want to come A Challenge to Others? It seems to us that if Dr. Sun into power, they must follow the really wants the Powers to with- long and winding path of con- this former Singaporean's state. He was sure the shareholders and Co.) which, besides working the draw recognition from the Pe-stitutional methods. To proceed king Government, he might have by any other way would be an does not usually abuse the object would have us think he sets so

> Closely connected as we are with the question of the British Navy in the East, and future power that seems to be foreshadowed, the controversy still expense and its possible uselessefforts by other nations with a stake in this part of the world-

DAY BY DAY.

ABOUT THE MOST IMPORTANT Things Going on Pester-DAY WERE WATERPROOFS.

Sir William and Lady Brunyate than he is with the justice left by the P. and O. s.s. Khiva

country a Government repudiat- M.A., of Hongkong University, estimated, has covered well over the launching ceremony. He ed by it. The Powers have im- was to preach at evensong last a million miles, was successful y asked those present to join with posed no Government on China. Sunday in St Andrew's Cathedral launched at Kowloon Dock this him in drinking to the continued

Adeal of Dr. Sun's criticisms properties to foreigners will be Conway Hake, Mr. J. Reid, Mr. length on his friendly relationrecognised unless previously ap- G. W. Barton, Mr. W. S. Bailey, ships with Captain Clarke and proved and registered. Col. Roberts., Mr. K. E. Greig Mr. Arnold. He mentioned that

> to bring the 1st Bo. East Surrey new head offices at Kowloon, they had American captains and Regt. to Hongkong in November, which have recently been built, lengineers, and they ran with Regt. for Singapore, to replace the 2nd Bn. Middlesex Regt., which goes to India.

The Hongkong Naval and Mili tary Directory, brought thoroughthe sued by the South China Morning Post, Ltd. In addition to complete lists of naval and military on booklet contains much informashould find a place on every busi ness man's desk. The price is 50

ARMED ROBBERS.

Yaumati Gang Enter House.

Five men armed with revolvers carried out a successful robbery at a house in Reclamation Street, Yaumati, at about nine o'clock this morning.

bound, and the property stolen things were best. The Hongkong Fourteen tables, seated for four, are poses? Indeed, is he not himself comprised for the most part and Whampon Dook Company provided, also upholstered settees a militarist? What elee can the jewellery, the precise amount of were old friends, and it was a and lounge chairs and large teaktitle of Generalissimo imply? which has not yet been ascertain- great satisfaction to the speaker wood sideboard. The floor is laid ed. Detectives working on the to see that friendship conserved. with parquetry. case afterwards made two arrests | The Dock Company had put into |

> he discovered were expressed with a rare vigour in Legislative

clothed his request in rather less absolute negation of republican defined by the self-denying fleet. The builders were to be forecastle head. A similar function offensive language. A suitor principles, on which Dr. Sun ordinance signed at Washington." congratulated on turning out astern is provided by a steam cappractically imposing on the coun- base at Singapore is of more than guard their interests" in the East carried on. The speaker warned it" and have "hindered China gives further anti "views of Mr. from establishing an effective O. W. Darbishire, a sturdy of American development repudiated by comment repudiated by comment repudiated by contemplated by contemplated by contemplated by the United States elsewhere. The speaker had been contemplated by the United States elsewhere. The speaker had been contemplated by the United States elsewhere. preparing to establish a naval Dock Company for very many 33," 55" diameter by 30" stroke. unwarranted, is acarcely likely nest except as an indication of again, has strengthened her base him to be present to see the condenser of the uniflux type with in the Bonins, The best thing launching of the Lungshan. Mr. Darbishire has a tilt at the only the combined efforts of all Bleamboat Company, which was self and his supporters as a tacit notorious way in which Govern- the big nations of the world responded to in the usual way. acknowledgment of the truth of ment concerns usually squander can sever bring about the Others Days Recalled. these allegations. The financial money. He declares that as a abolition of the war menace. Mr. Holyoak, speaking on behalf result of his experience of the and in the meantime it will be of the co-directors and himself, patent withdrawable back ends support to which Dr. Sun refers Public Works Department at Sing suicidal for any Power to neglect thanked the visitors for their

NEW RIVER BOAT.

The "Lungshan" Launched.

CEREMONY AT KOWLOON

by the Hongkong and Whampon Shanghai, had built vessels for Dock Company to the order of the them with good results. It Hongkong, Canton and Macao had given them great pleasure The Rev. J. Romanis Lee, the Honam, which steamer, it is of Capt. W. E. Clarke to perform. Singapore.

morning. The christening prosperity of the Hongkong and ceremony was performed by Mrs. Whampos Dock, coupled with W. E. Clarke. The launching the names of the absent manager, arrangements were under the Mr. R. M. Dyer, and the acting second night fele on Friday. The supervision of Mr. D. Keith., chief manager, Mr. E. Cock.

Chau Siu-ki. Mr. J. Arnold, the S. Bailey. The Mayor of Canton has Rev. V. H. Copiey Moyle, Cap- Mr. Bailey, replying on behalf issued a notice that no lease of tain F. T. Wheeler, Lieut, of the visitors, spoke at some and many others.

The s.s. Derbyshire, which is the visitors adjourned to the fine | They were wooden ships and

A Progressive Company.

In proposing a toast to the successful career of the Lungshan and to the continued prosperity of the Hongkong, Canton and Macao Steamboat Company, Mr. Barton said the Company had long been one of the institutions of the Colony and their activities were so well known that it left him with very little to add. For a long time they had been following principal dimensions: the link between the neighbouring ports of Canton and Macao and they still held the premier

position on this run, both for cargo and passengers. The vessel they had just launched formed a cycle, as the speaker understood, that the Lungshan was to take the place of the Honam, which had been on the berth staterooms and 17 single service, he believed, some forty berth rooms, also for 84 2nd saloon years. There came a time when passengers in two, three and four it was more economical to re- borth rooms. place old ships with new ones of a more modern type. A progressive company should always keep this in view. Old hands The inmates were gagged and were prone to think that the old the Lungshan their very best and looked eagerly forward to her Mrs. Clarke

present joined. Captain Clarke said he had been wash basin and mirror, etc. A characteristic manner of sticking with the Hongkong, Canton and small saloon, reserved for ladies, a very potent force in China, and to a point that might be wrong Macao Steamboat Company for is provided. no idealistic acheme drawn up by but appears to him to be right. forty-six years and he considered a Disbandment Conference would And as it happens, his view of it a very great compliment that expenditure in Malaya being to launch the fine ship, the Lung-But the most important part of it as a momento of those days, steam windless (by Clarke Chapman ment is his assertion that Britain of the Steamboat Company and cables, also actuates a shaft connect-

will find strong naval bases the travelling public would welspringing up all round the area come the new vessel to their Despite the fact that this such a splendid ship. The late stan at the after end of main deck. view is contained in a letter to Sir Thomas Sutherland remarked. The ship is fitted with a complete the Daily Mail, we can believe some years ago that he hoped the double bottom. There are two main Mr. Darbishire to be sincere in day would come when vessels of holds and a silk room. A strong his suggestion of future, naval this size would be built on the room and a mail room are also competition in the East, and not banks of the Yangteze, and the merely to be trying to make the speaker had often wondered why from the bridge by a system of rods British public's flesh creep. Un- he did not mention Hongkong. fortunately for the Utopian dream with its fine harbour and works, laid to Hastic's steam sleering gear of "the brotherhood of man, and They had seen some fine vessels and from thence to quadrant at federation of the world," there is completed in Hongkong, and Capt- rudder head by chains and rods. already an indication that the ain Clarke hoped that they would The electric installation consists of Powers are taking steps "to safe- continue to, see this good work two 10 K. W. Dynamos, on a large scale: As Mr. Darbi- Labour leaders that they must of America, and Holland is personally connected with the each having three cylinders, 20," Lase in her East Indies. Japan, years and it was a pleasure to Each engine is fitted with a surface Mr. Darbishire, and others like proposed the health and prosperity pump to each condenser. The air, him can do will be to realise that of the Dock Company and the

represents revenues which come apore he believes the estimated that old, and wise, injunction presence. It was nearly ten Lyeurs since the Dock Company

launched the last ship for the Steamboat Company. Some of the older residents would remember that about twenty-eight years ago they built another ship of the same name. Since 1890 it bad not been necessary to order new vessels from Home and their friends the Dock Company, in open competition with other ship-The Lungshan, a steamer built builders in Hongkong and in

annual acquatic sports are fixed Amongst those present were Mr. Cook replied on behalf of may not be to the liking of for the 26th, to the 29th. Septem. Commodore Grace, the Hon. Mr. Mr. Dyer and himself-and he P. H. Holyoak, the Hon. Mr. called for a toast to the visitors, R. H. Kotewall, the Hon. Mr. coupled with the name of Mr. W.

> the first ships of the Steambout After the launching ceremony; | Company were, built in America thought the first steel vessel was the Honam, which the Lungshan was about to replace. On behalf of the visitors, Mr. Bailey added his best wishes to those already expressed for the success of the ship and the prosperity of the Hongkong, Canton and Macao Steamboat Company.

> > Details of the Vessel. This steamer, built for the Hongkong-Canton river service, has the Length overall 300'-0"

Length between perpen-

diculars Breadth moulded 54'-0' Depth moulded 13'-6" The Lung Shan has three decks and accommodation is provided for 51 1st saloon passengers in 17 two-

The dining saloon is situated at the fore end of the saloon deck and is handsomely panelled and finished with hardwood pilasters.

The Staterooms.

The 1st class staterooms are large Mr. Barton thanked and airy, being fitted with all the larke for her assis- latest conveniences, the wash basins tance in the launching cere- having a continuous supply of water Mr. Barton then proposed a toast are of the best description. The to the Lungshan and to the 2nd class staterooms are situated Steamboat Company, in which all at the after ends of the boat and saloon decks and are furnished with A Warning to Labour. wire mattresses, sparred seat

The captain, officers and engineers are housed on the boat deck forward dispel that factor. To sum up, the likelihood of departmental his colleagues had asked his wife are noused on the house deck forward to leagues had asked his wife in large rooms, their quarters being the Chinese must work out their considerably in excess of the shan. On behalf of his wife, he separated from the cabin passengers own salvation, aided by foreign estimates has a great deal of thanked the Company for the by a steel bulkhead and grill. At handsome souvenir with which usual in river steamers the crew's they had presented her. He was accommodation is litted in the foresure she would always treasure castle and here is also a powerful

ed to the warping capstan on the

The Engines, food and bilge, pumps are worked by levers off the L.P. engine boilers, four in number-15'-6" diameter by 11'-7" long, each fitted with three Morrison's corrugated fornaces with 3'-8}" juternal diumeter, constructed

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NEW RIVER BOAT.

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GAP ROCK.

Castle Peak Road Closed.

No very serious damage appears | domestic servants. to have been done in Hongkong yesterday. There has been considerable wash-out, however, beetle powders. on the Castle Peak road, which has necessitated its being temporarily closed to traffic. This occurred about a mile further on than the waterfall, a portion of the road extending about one hundred yards, skirting the seashore, having caved in. In one place the passable portion of the road is only about five feet wide Along this road, as at many other

yesterday morning, and at 2 p.m., Colony. it was entering the coast a little to the west of Macao, which port must have felt its full effect. The day. The lowest barometer read- great deal of space. ing at the Observatory was 29.26, as low as 28.99 at its lowest.

tree fell across the tramay track casionally in mangoes and other at Happy Valley, with the result fruit. that the circular service was suspended for about three hours.

PEKING PALACE FIRE.

Peking, July 2.—In connection with the recent fire at the Forbidden City, the chief enunuch matter, according to the species. and seven assistants are being held in custody on suspicion of in maggot, the beetle develops into gular, but frequent intervals, and cendiarism.—Reut r.

A PUZZLE A DAY.

A number of horses were walking through a gate. There was one horse before two horses, a horse behind two horses, and another horse was between two horses. How many horses were going through the gate?

Yesterday's answer: The diagram illustrates how twelve counters can be arranged

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that each horizontal," vertical, and diagonal row contains two counters.

MASSAGE UP-TO DATE. Our local massage amans seem to be a law unto themselves, says a Shanghai paper. At any rate they are so in as far as their dealings with English are concerned. One who has just completed a local course in the art advertises her qualifications thus: A Will exprienced Woman used, A Primer Vibrator to Knock Both. The Gentlemans and Ladys' Back Etc. If they tired out, and

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NATURAL HISTORY NOTES.—I.

Some Old Friends.

(BY "FIRMSPEAR.")

I.—Cockroaches.

This class of insect belongs the family in Zoology called Blattidae. It is a low-class tribe, and ballast pump, one sanitary looked down upon by everybody, pump and one general service pump. and spurned by all mammals, birds, and bigger-sized insects.

Habitat :- Every part of the It is now found, therefore, as far The ship has been built under the North and South as the Poles.

Colloquial names:-"Blackbesand Mr. F. W. James, whilst Mr. tle," and others not suitable for when later sliding home. Eddie publication in a popular journal,

when he launched the Ark. Since | tinually bleeding. "Doc" Urquthen every seagoing vessel keeps | hart umpired the game with satis-TYPHOON PASSES NEAR up the tradition, and carries a few. faction to both sides, while Seidle Habits:-Absolutely disgusting.

The mother cockroach lays her purse-shaped eggs indiscriminately, even in keyholes. This makes the insect even more detested by

as the result of the typhoon which clothes and valuable documents passed fairly close to the Colony are specially favoured. It seems partial to many of the so-called

> Life cycle: -From the egg unwards the cockroach has a chequered career, and lives only as long as it escapes one or other of its numerous enemies. It breeds prolifically, however, and all reports are to the effect that it is steadily increasing in numbers.

General observations:—If sudplaces in the Colony, the telephone | denly and smartly struck, a fullwires have been badly displaced, grown cockroach expires with a Observatory reports show that sharp crack. Cracking cockthe typhoon passed very near rosches is a popular after-dinner Gap Rock at about 8 o'clock diversion in some circles in this

II. Beetles.

The true beetles belong to the highest wind velocity recorded at order Coleopters. They are a very | Some spiders spin webs, others the Observatory was a squall at large family, of all colours, shapes run and jump, and a certain numthe rate of 87 miles per hour, this and sizes, and to describe all ber live in tunnels. They often occurring about 8.40 a.m. yester- these in detail would take up a hide behind brooms and other

Habitat:-In the ground, on the but at Gap Rock the reading was ground, in the air, and on all kinds of foliage. Often found in ships' Yesterday afternoon, a large biscuits, army rations, and oc-

> Origin:-The first beetle is popularly supposed to have been a cross between a cockroach and a bumble-bee.

Habits:--Very erratic. At one moment a beetle will be flying up] against the ceiling, and the next will flop into one's soup.

the interesting creature that so are thus often in an even worse often thrusts itself on one's position than Hongkong tenants. notice. It survives as long as it General observations:-Spiders escapes the observation of Pro- do much good in catching and fessors, Zoological students, eating obnoxious insects, and museum curators, and other types should be encouraged. However, of Homo Sapiens.

are greatly attracted by bright their sisters with them is not to lights, and the usual time of flight | be recommended—especially in being after dark they often pay these days of the athletic girl. one a visit after dinner. Some-

BASEBALL.

Another Win for Hongkong.

The Hongkong Baseball Club won their fifth straight game on Saturday afternoon when they defeated the M. B. K. team by a score of 11 to 5.

The match was a close one throughout and the Japanese team were at their opponents' heels until Ryan knocked a threebagger with men on bases, putting the game on sice. Chu, the M.B.K. pitcher, twirled a good brand of ball, registering a few strike-outs and received good sup port from his team. Dowrick also knocked a three-bagger and sustained an injury to his shoulder O'Connor pitched a wonderful Origin: Uncertain, but unfor game, despite the fact that his tunately not overlooked by Nosh | thumb was badly cut and concalled them on bases.

> The line up was as follows:--Hongkong O'Connor, Proulz Ryan, Church, Shank, Dowrick, Wilson, Dome, and Lefevre. Subs: Davison, Browning and Finan.

M. B. K.-Edo, Chu, Wuno, Food:-Anything at all, but Saido, Kano, Yamasaki, Fukushima, Unemeto and Tanida.

> times they arrive a little earlier, when it might become difficult to distinguish them from other items in the stew, especially if it be real Irish stew.

III. Spiders.

This is another large order, the Arachnida. Like beetles, they are of all shapes, sizes, and descriptions.

Habitat: - Most dwellinghouses, cupboards, corners, rafters; also in trees, on bushes, and on or under the ground.

Origin:-Believed to have resulted from a union between a land crab and a scorpion.

Habits:-Poculiar to a degree. articles, and make a sudden appearance when least expected. Housemaids are their chief prey. They sometimes drop down the back of one's collar; and have been known to bite.

Food:—Flies are their chiefdiet. They have special parlours into which they very politely invite the unsuspecting insects to enter.

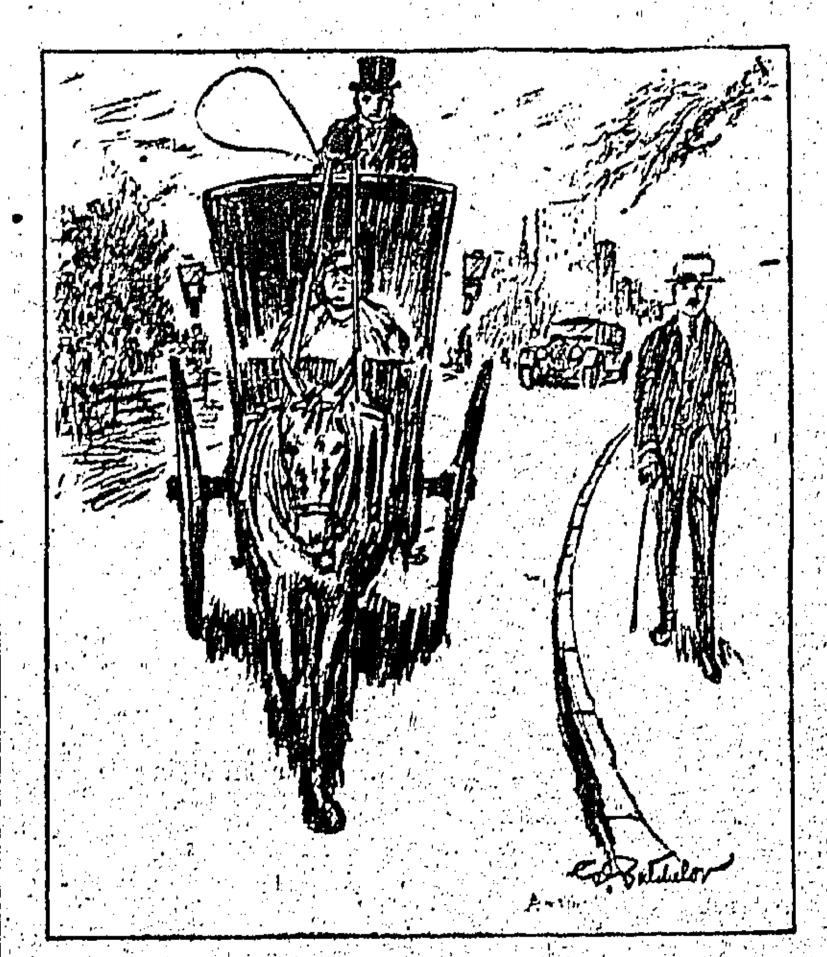
Life cycle:-The male spider has a hard time. After a very short honeymoon his loving spouse extracts all his substance, thus providing something of a parallel with modern human life. Food: -Animal and vegetable In general, spiders have an uncertain existence. They have Life cycle:-From a grub, or their homes demolished at irre-

the practice sometimes resorted General observations: -Beetles to by small boys of frightening

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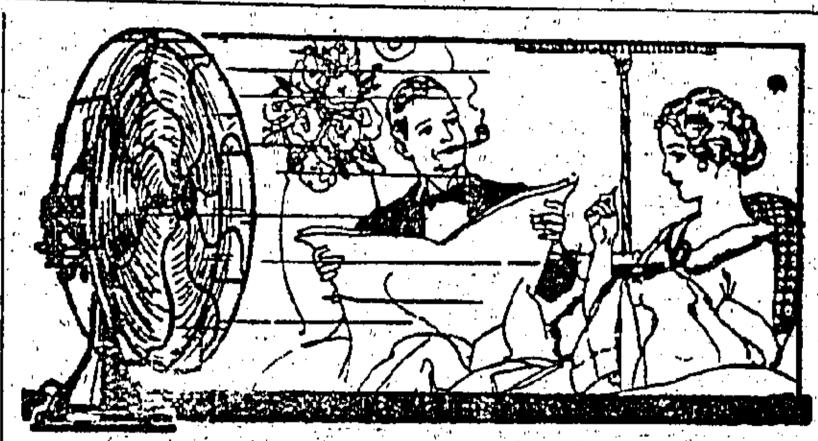
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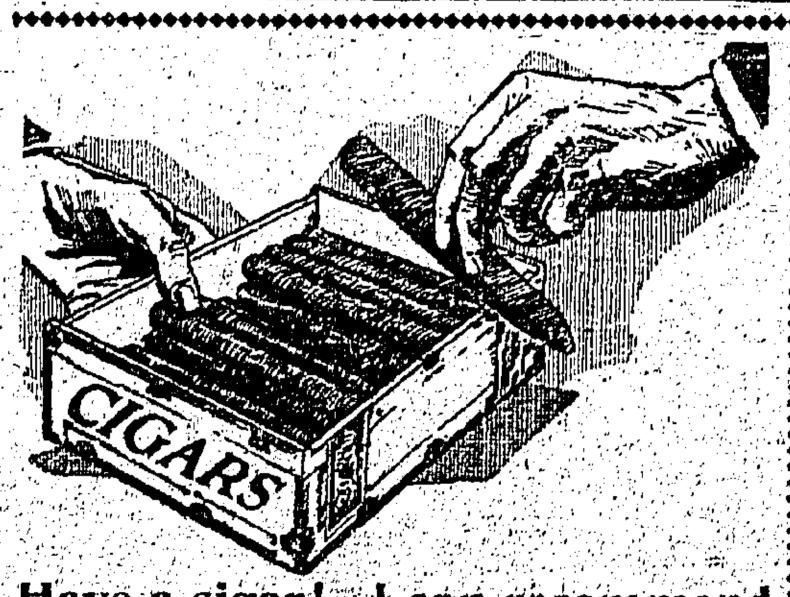
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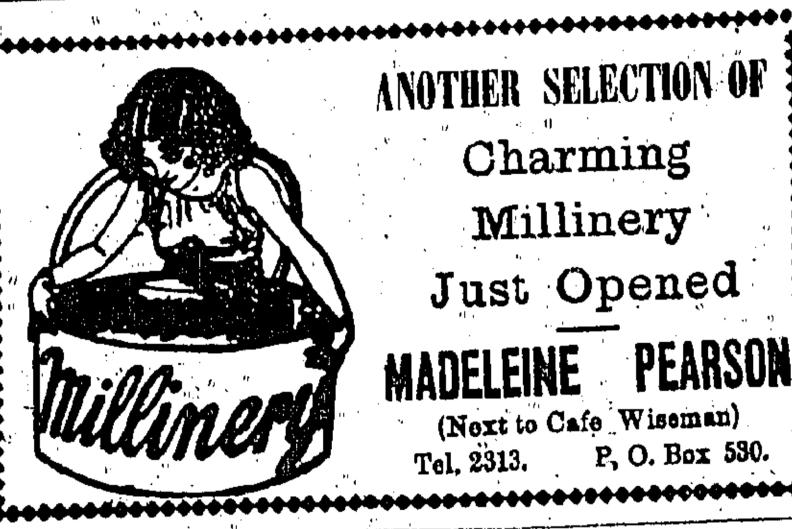
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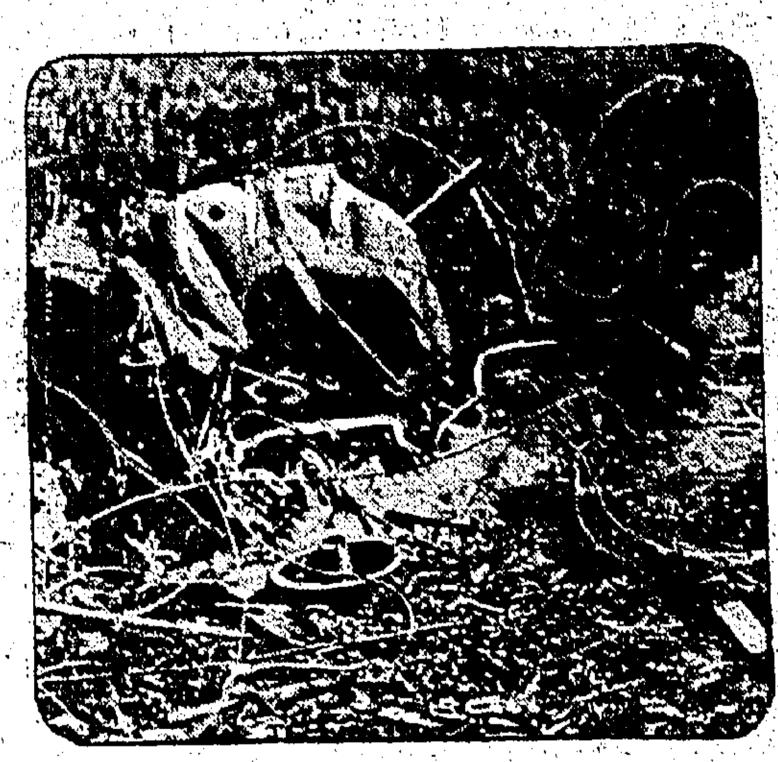
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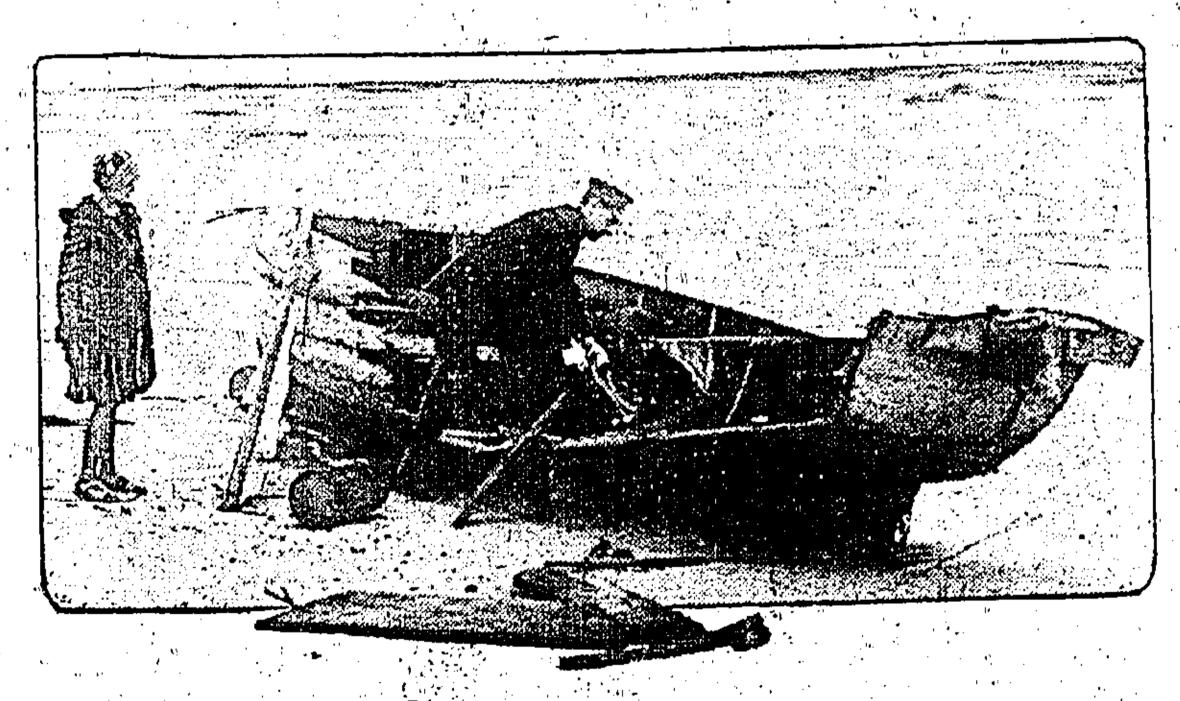
This picture gives you a good idea of the size of the plane in which M. Barbot flew across the English Channel. Suspended on the building of a Paris newspaper, one can compare its size to the clock and the windows.



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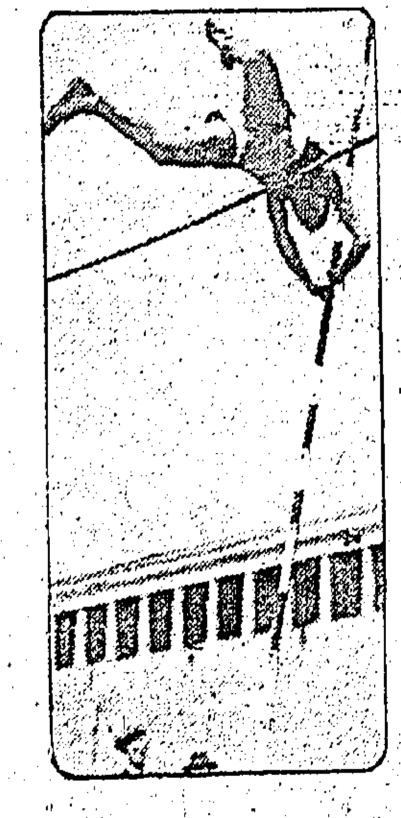
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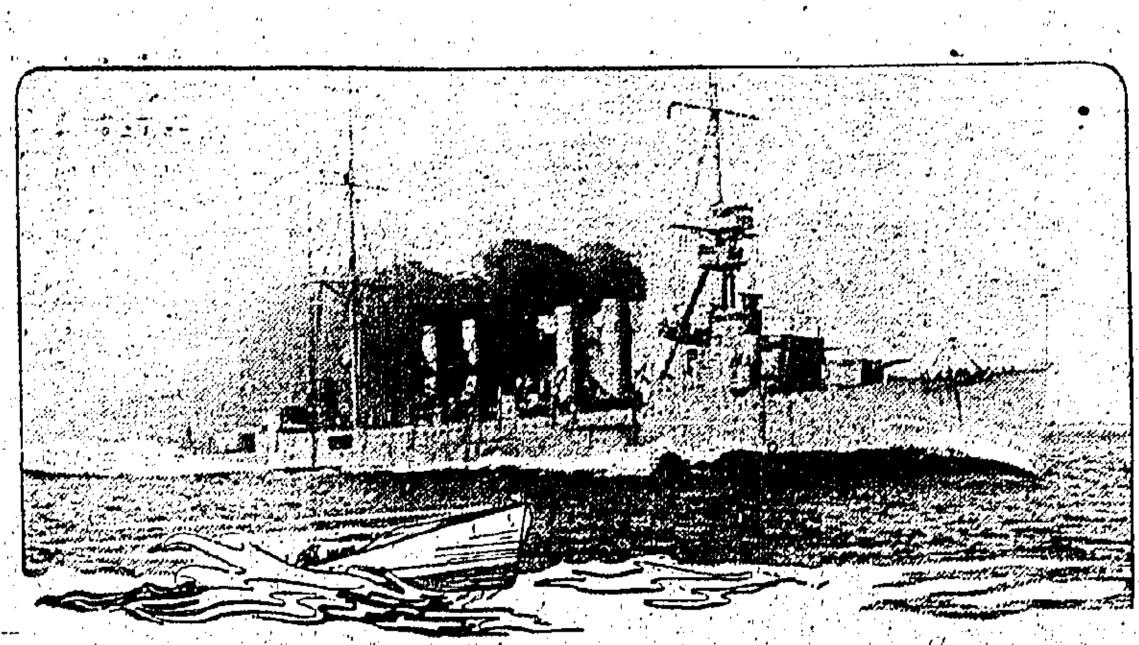
Captain G. F. Morin of the U.S. Coast Guard investigates the half-burned launch from which he rescued one man off [Belle Harbour, Long Island, and in which another man died. The rescued man was too weak to explain the accident or the presence of a gun found in the boat by Captain Morin.



The utmost secrecy guards details of the suit filed by Lady Hyde (above) for an accounting of the \$100,000,000 state of the late Levi Z. Leiter, pioneer Chicago merchant. In her suit she names as defendants her brother, Joseph Leiter of Chicago, and her sister, Mrs. Nancy Carver Camp-



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HOT WEATHER PERILS AND THE BABY.

during the hot season that often some fifty yards below Windsor never been known before that the the little one is beyond aid almost Bridge when the swan began to Exptians collected fossile. before the parents real ze he is ill. attack him before he was awars. Describing some tombs of the No other medicine is of such aid of its presence. He dived under princes of the ninth and tenth to mothers during hot weather water and managed to get to the dynasties. Professor Petrie said as Biby's Own Tablets, the Can- Cobbler, a piece of landdividing the nearly all the cemeteries had adian children's remedy. Guar, weir stream from the main river, been ravaged by natives or by antend free from opiates and The bird then kept a close explorers during the last century. absolutely harmless even to the watch on the unfortunate swim- Italians had some years ago sleen and regular development.

cents the vial from Dr. Williams Shanghai.

INVENTOR LOSES BOTH HANDS.

six, a mechanic employed by a Belfast firm of motor engineers, to prevent him from landing on Geneva: Two human skeletons, having invented an electric chop- the shore. per. was experimenting with it when the chopper descended prematurely, cut off one of his bands that it had to be amputated.

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EGYPTIAN DISCOVERIES. FEROCIOUS OLD SWAN.

Attack on Bather in the Thames.

escape from being seriously in. University College, Gower-street, jured in the Thames at Windsor recently, giving an account of recently by a ferocious swan the work of the British School of which is reputed to be quite 100 Ascheology in Egypt during the years old. This swan is well past year, said this had been carknown in the neighbourhood for ried on mainly at Q10, a rocky. its fierceness, and Frank Shar- headland on the east of the hill rath, a young man who resides by about thirty miles from Assiut. the riverside at Windsor, said that The finds there were nearly all of How Baby's Own Tablets Help. he certainly would not have at- the ninth and tenth dynastics,

youngest infant, these Tablets mer, and though he made several taken away all the statues and quickly reduce fever, relieve colic attempts to try and enter the inscriptions from these tombs, and croup, remedy constipation, water, the swan refused to allow and they were now lying piled check diarrhoa, sweeten the him to do so. Many spectators up at Turin, having never even stomach, allay teething pains, had gathered, and though all kinds been deciphered. cure indigestion, quiet the nervee, of devices were tried to disengage. Referring to some inscriptions and prompte natural health-giving the bird's attention, he always found on a tomb hear Oxe kept an eye on the stranded ythynklos, Professor Petrie said Baby's Own Tablets are sold bather. After half an hour's vigil they were clear evidence of by chemiste, or post free at 60 the swan fell to the temptation of Jewish colonies existing within a dainty mersel of bread and meat 100 miles of Cairo as far back as Medicine Co, 60 Kiangse Road, which was put in front of him, 670 B.C., and that the Jews were and with great reluctance he left acquainted with Greek civiliathe bather and went after the food. ation and familiar with Greek After consuming the bread he terms. Greer Galway, agid twenty- returned to the spot where he had left the bather, but was too late "C UNEARTH OLD RELICS"

revenge.

Ancient Jewish Colonies Near Cairo.

A Windsor man had a narrow Professor Flinders Petrie. at The summer months are the tempted to take his morning dip when the place had touched its most dangerous to infants and had be seen that this particular highest period of grandeur. An young children. Cholera in swan was in the neighbourhood, unusual discovery had been that fantum, colic, diarrhoea and He had swum to the middle of of a quantity of fossil bones, indysentery, come on so quickly the river, and was in 30ft. of water cluding human bones. It had

pieces of earthenware of the Mr. Sharratt says that he pre- Gallo-Roman period and a porvented this swan from killing tion of sculpture from a triumphal another swan only a few days arch have been unsarthed by and multilated the other so badly before, and possibly he was out for workmen dismantling old houses

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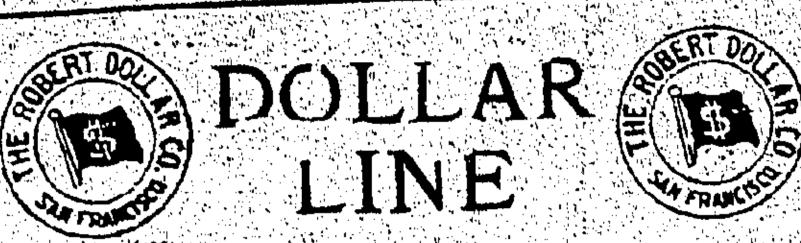
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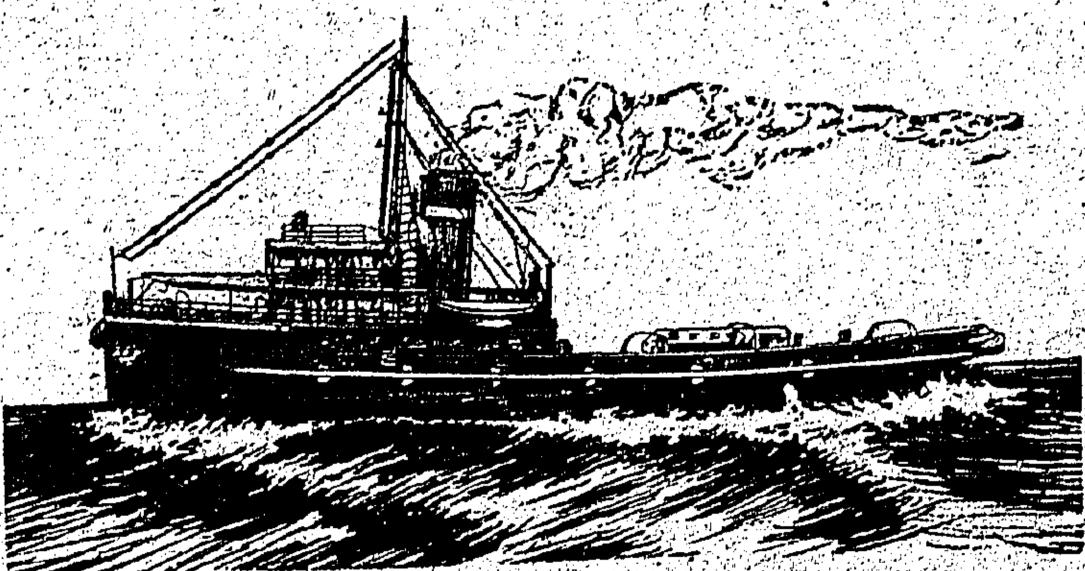
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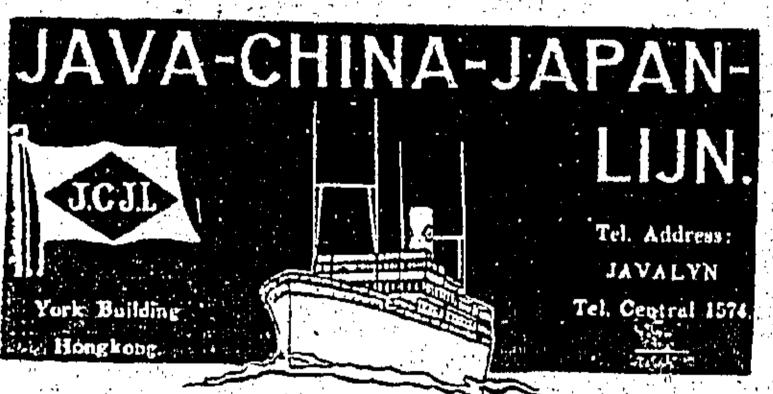
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Calcutta, Penang and Singapore: Returning from Calcutta The photographs obtained by Prof. Chant, of Toronto, and Dr. Campball, of the Lick Observatory, placed by exactly the amount. September, at the time of the total Dr. Campbell is so convinced by can now be no possible doubt as corroboration, so far as the eclipse

The measurements of the Australian plates have not yet been completed, the task being now in progress at Green wich, but they are helieved to be as conclusive as those taken by the Canadians and Americans. It may now be taken that Relativity has survived two of the three tests to which it can be subjected-those depending on the deflection of light passing near massive bodies in space and the movement of the planet Mercury in defiance of Newton's laws. The third test; which involves a change in position of certain lines in the sun's spectrum, is the most difficult of the three to apply, and no definite result has yet been obtained. But Prof : ssor Einstein is confident he will obtain clear evidence of this shift of the solar spectral lines by means of a special apparatus he had erected at Poisdam Observatory.

There is, however, no l kelihood of any more Einstein photographs being taken when the sun is eclipsed. It is a costly work, and prevents astronomers undertaking other eclipse observations.



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Folk-stone traders are complaining of the severe manner in motorists who leave their cars Shanghai are commenting upon the police action, so that they fear the town will be "blacklisted."

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WEATHER. REPORT

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moving N.N.W. July 3d. 11h. 59m.-Warning to Hongkong, Coast Ports, &c:-Depression of typhoon of unknown intensity within 120 miles of Lat. 24° N. Long. 109° E. fill-

July 2d. 14h. 40m -Local signal No. 3 hoisted. July 3d. 5h. 55m.—Local signal

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July 31, 11h. 59m.—Pressure has increased considerably at Hongkong and slightly over Formosa and N.E. Jopan. It has decreased moderately ov r S.W. Japan and slightly over the Visayas. The typhcon is filling up over S.W. China.

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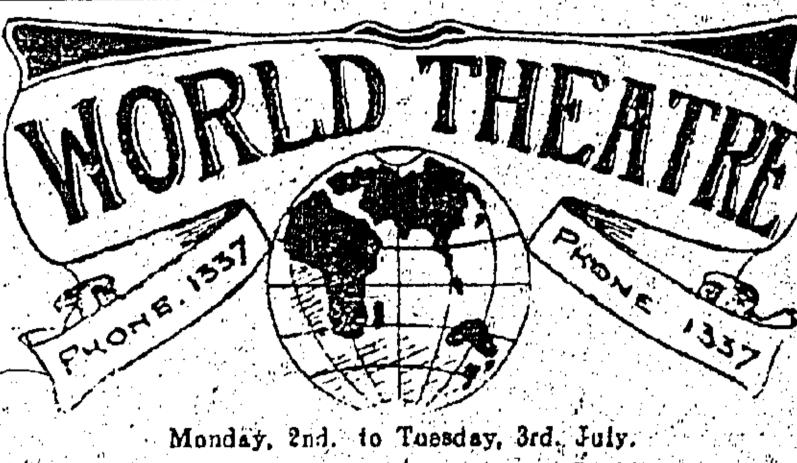
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